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LOST.

LOST.—A small Gold Lady's EAR RING. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the Telegraph Office. mar21

LOST.—A double-barrel SHOTGUN, made by Joseph Annear. Lost between Richmond Road and Yates street, down to Vancouver and View street to Blanchard. A reward of $5 will be given by leaving at Gowen's Brewery. mr18tf

BOARD AND LODGING.

PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING.—MRS. Wm. Tierney having removed to that commodious residence on Cormorant street, next door above Douglas, which she has fitted up and furnished regardless of expense, will be pleased to accommodate a limited number of guests with board and rooms. Charges moderate. Apply on the premises for further particulars. mar11 1m

FOR SALE.

HORSES FOR SALE.—A span of heavy bay draught horses and two driving horses, one a bay and the other a roan. Also one wagon and two carts, harness, etc. The horses are in prime condition, sound in every point and at present working. The wagon, cart and harness are also in good condition. Will be sold cheap. Apply to A. G. Ryan, Humboldt street. mar 29 1m

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FOR SALE.—A Sebastian, Brunswick & Balke Carom BILLIARD TABLE for sale. Apply at this office. mar22 2wks

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FOR SALE OR LEASE.—One hundred and sixty acres land in Cowichan District, fifty acres open and well ditched, balance timbered. Also, one Dump Cart and one heavy Wagon, both in good order. Apply at TIMES office. mar11m

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FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade, centrally situated, within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars, "HOTEL," TIMES office.

Thomas Ridgway, for many years a flour and grain commission merchant in Philadelphia, has died, aged 80 years.

CABINET MAKING.

It is believed that the Premier, Hon. A. E. B. Davie, will, to-morrow, submit to the House the names of the new ministry. The report that he will refuse to fill the vacancies until after the close of the session is generally discredited. To procrastinate under the present circumstances would be but to invite criticism from friends, and eventually to estrange forever those whose hopes had magnified the longer they were nurtured. We are led to believe that the *personnel* of the new administration will be about the same as given yesterday. Mr. Vernon is mentioned instead of Mr. Martin as the mainland representative, but the Premier is credited with a leaning towards the latter and has proposed a *solatium* for Mr. Vernon's disappointment that the influence of the government will be used to secure for him the vacant senatorship. Mr. Turner, as we mentioned last night, may be taken in instead of Mr. Higgins, although what claims the member for Victoria has upon the government not possessed in a ten fold degree by the ambitious representative for Esquimalt, we are at a loss to understand. The *Colonist* says Mr. Dunsmuir has declined the Presidency of the Council. Possibly, but we prefer awaiting further developments to accepting the statement as a fact. The member for Nanaimo is already the *de facto* President, and will continue the government's self constituted guardian in spite of their refusal to make him President *de jure*. He is the rock on which the Davie administration will split to pieces. The intimation that the vacant portfolios will not be apportioned until after the session is mere guess work. Mr. Davie is not likely to continue the miserable subterfuges adopted under the late government, to maintain himself in power.

What is Life?

A little crib beside the bed,
A little face above the spread;
A little frock behind the door,
A little shoe upon the floor.

A little lad with dark brown hair,
A little blue-eyed face, and fair;
A little lane that leads to school,
A little pencil, slate, and rule.

A little blithesome, winsome maid,
A little hand within his laid;
A little cottage, acres four,
A little old- time fashioned store.

A little family gathered round,
A little turf heaped, tear-dewed mound;
A little added to his soil,
A little rest from harvest toil.

A little silver in his hair,
A little stool and easy chair;
A little night of earth-lit gloom,
A little cortege to the tomb.

United States Supply Bills.

Our many American readers will probably be interested in this statement showing the varied appropriations of money made at the session just closed of the 49th Congress for the support of the different departments of the government of the United States of American for the year 1887-8 which we have obtained through the courtesy of Consul Stevens:

Departments.	Amounts.
Agricultural	$ 585,790
Army	24,724,718
Diplomatic and Consular	1,429,942
District of Columbia	4,279,236
Indians	5,226,879
Legislative, Executive and Judicial Expenses	20,646,143
Military Academy	419,886
Navy	25,767,34[illegible]
Pensions	76,252,500
Post Office	55,694,65[illegible]
Sundry Civil Expenses	22,398,540
Mexican War Veteran Pensions	6,990,000
Miscellaneous	4,712,000

Making a total of nearly $250,000,000.

This does not include the interest on the national debt (now about $1,300,000,000) sinking fund, or the amount carried by the general deficiency bill, (which failed) $4,225,073.66.

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottle 10c. Try it. •

Jubilee Meeting.

The general citizens' meeting in connection with the proposed Jubilee Hospital, will be held to-morrow at 11 a. m. at the Board of Trade rooms. It is to be hoped our citizens will then show by their contributions their willingness to meet the offer of the government in a spirit that will ensure the full amount required.

Blockade Raised.

On the arrival of the first train, and now Anderson & Hastie, Fort street, offer furniture of all kinds at bottom prices. •

The Albion Iron Works were closed to-day in respect to the late Premier.

At the Oriental: T C Graham, San Francisco; E A Wadhams, Ladner's Landing; E S Williams, Seattle.

—A correspondent (D. M. G.) writing from New Westminster, says that no man ever left that city amidst such enthusiasm as was accorded Mr. Donald Chisholm, M. P., last Tuesday on his departure for Ottawa. For many weeks the well-known figure of that gentleman will be greatly missed by the people of the Royal City, who will evince the liveliest interest in the career of their new member.

ANYONE Can earn from two to five dollars a day by soliciting subscribers for the New Ladies' Domestic Magazine to be published in January. It is the best household paper in Canada, subscription only 50c. per year; bound to sell. The publishers are determined to secure a circulation of 50,000 to start with, and will send the Magazine for a whole year and a valuable present, or 25c. Just think of it, this offer remains good for 60 days only. Address
A. ELBERT MILES, Business Manager,
jan 12 1mW STANSTEAD, P. Q.

NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

An Interesting and Gossipy Letter--Important Events in Manchester.

Royalty Abroad--Secretary Balfour--Lion Tamer--The Government.

[From our own Correspondent.]

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

NOTTINGHAM, March 11.—The Queen's Jubilee should be an event to be remembered in Manchester for a long time to come. Not only is there to be a splendid exhibition, but the British Association meetings are to be held there this year, whilst it is announced that the Council of the Iron and Steel Institute has accepted the invitation to hold their annual meeting there next September. It is stated that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales will probably open the exhibition and also cut the first sod of the Manchester Ship Canal on the day of the ceremony at the exhibition.

A GREAT SHOW OF LOYALTY.

A Birmingham exchange says it is understood that of the many pleasant views that will gladden the eyes of Her Majesty during her passage through the line of route on her coming visit, in a fortnight's time, to the metropolis of the Midlands one in the vicinity of Deritend will gain the palm for originality. It is proposed to erect, on a suitable site, a raised platform, upon which a select circle of friends will assemble, the indispensable qualification being that each must turn the scale at 20 stone. The suggestion has been made that a banner should float proudly over the platform with the inscription, "All very fine and large."

THE PRINCE OF WALES AT MONTE CARLO.

A correspondent writes that the Prince of Wales and his son George spent a couple of days here, and we dined in the same room and met them in the hotel and in the streets continually. The Prince was recognized by very few people, and he seemed thoroughly to enjoy his freedom. He looked anything but royal, and wore a very short tweed morning jacket with a wide-awake felt hat, protecting himself from the unkind wind by a very ordinary thick plaided ulster, with a cape. Two gentlemen were with him, one of whom was Mr. Christopher Sykes, of racing proclivities; they all entered the Casino and left their overcoats in the cloak-room, the Prince waiting his turn and taking his ticket the same as everybody else. At the gaming tables no one noticed him. He stood behind those already seated and carelessly threw down a few five franc or ten-franc pieces, watching their disappearance under the croupier's rake with equanimity and amusement. When he did win a few twenty-franc pieces, he took them up and pocketed them with evident satisfaction. After awhile he turned away and strolled to the table where roulette was going on. His young son stood by but did not play. I heard the Prince of Wales introduce him to two English ladies, who were among the very few who recognized their future King in this place, and any English public school-boy would have been ashamed of the very shy way he made his bow and fidgetted with his feet. The Prince himself seemed to be thoroughly enjoying himself.

THE NEW IRISH SECRETARY.

Mr. Arthur Balfour is a tall, very slight, and what might be called a willowy man. He is a nephew of Lord Salisbury, and is a sort of pale replica of that nobleman. There is the same stoop, the nose ends abruptly, and the eyes have something of the same expression, but the build of Lord Salisbury is massive, while that of Mr. Balfour is slight to feminity. His airs, too, are a bit womanish. The inside pocket of his frock coat always displays the end of a white pocket handkerchief he is in the habit of drawing at intervals, with a mincing air that suggests a curate of the Established Church as he might appear in the cynic scenes of a play by Gilbert. To think of such a man as the agent of a firm and resolute government in times of such fierce stress as the present is rather absurd.

LONDON FLOCKING TO SEE THE LION TAMER.

London is flocking to see the lion tamer at Olympia. On Friday the Prince and Princess of Wales attended with their children and during the week thousands of other matrons did likewise. A cargo of lions is drawn into the centre of the ring, and on being uncovered a large family of the leonine race is discovered. The showman at once enters the cage, and the fun begins. The old lions are dignified and well preserved. The lionesses and the cubs, however, snack and snarl and threaten any moment to devour him. At every performance there is something of a sensation, as one or other of the beasts shows his teeth with unusual anger.

LORD HARTINGTON AND LIBERAL REUNION.

The London correspondent of the *Leeds Mercury* writes: "Lord Hartington, I regret to hear, has taken no part in the negotiations for the reunion of the Liberal party. He, of course, has always occupied a different position from Mr. Chamberlain, and is resolutely opposed to Home Rule, on a federal or any other basis. The prospect of bringing him back to the Liberal party at the present moment is not very bright. It seems to be expected that if Lord Hartington declines to return to the fold he will be deserted by a large body of his followers. This, however, is a mistake. The fifty or sixty Liberals who follow Lord Hartington will stand by him, and will not, therefore, give any vote that would turn out the present Government. The fate of the Ministry rests in Lord Hartington's hands."

THE STAGE.

The theatrical season in London continues to yield much profit to all concerned. This is due very largely to the excellence of the many pieces which bid for public patronage. At the Lyceum "Faust" continues to attract full houses nightly, although Mr. Irving has grown sick of playing Mephistofeles. One of the authors of the "Harbor Lights," another long-seen piece, has a new drama ready for the Adelphi, but the lessees have no desire to dock this richly laden argosy. The pantomime at Drury Lane is as attractive in Lent as it was at Christmas; Monte Cristo is drawing its thousands, and Miss Fannie Leslie has settled a big success in "Jack in the Box.

AN UNLUCKY GOVERNMENT.

There is a feeling in the air, says a London correspondent, that things are going very badly with the government. Tories themselves ask pecosely if you think they will be out in three months, and once again wary and practical Liberals warn you that it won't suit us to have another general election so soon. None seems to find the grounds for this belief. The result is not altogether satisfactory, and, at the same time, the feeling is not without reason and justification. Nobody denies that the present is one of the most unlucky of governments and governments, like individuals, are in a bad way when they get the reputation of a want of luck. The second ground for the faith in the early dissolution of the government is the complete failure, and the daily and helpless drifting, of their policy in Ireland.

THE PANAMA CANAL

is to be finished in three years, the electric light having been adopted to enable the navvies to work at night. Meantime the Nicaragua Canal is to be started, and when both are completed there will be a choice of routes for shipmasters, but considerable doubt whether they will adopt either, in paying numbers, unless some at present unanticipated trade between the Pacific Coast and the Old World is developed.

THE DUCHESS OF ALBANY

has started for Cannes. The visit must be one of mournful interest to Her Royal Highness. It was at Cannes that her husband died, and the Duchess visits the Riviera for the first time since the occurrence. Her Royal Highness will see much to remind her of the death of the Duke. The Villa Nevada, high in the Hill California, will focus the Duchess' interest. "Percival," said the Prince to his host, looking out upon the broad and beautiful Bay, "it is in presence of a scene like this that I should wish to die." It was in the room where these words were used that the Duke died.

BICYCLES FOR THE FRENCH ARMY.

Bicycles are to be utilized in the French army. The war minister, after witnessing trials of bicycles, tricycles, and velocipedes, has chosen the first of these machines as the most useful model. A certain number of infantry soldiers in each corps will be trained to ride the bicycle, in order to carry dispatches when on active service, and thus leave the cavalry free for other duties.

THE WEATHER.

There has been a long spell of fine weather, which continues in this part, although a heavy fall of snow and sleet occurred in Scotland yesterday, and the ground was covered to the depth of three or four inches, and it was bitterly cold.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Queen and the Prince of Wales will both contribute loans to art treasures to the Royal Yorkshire Jubilee Exhibition, to be opened at Saltaire in May. The object of this exhibition is to defray the cost of the new art and science schools which have been erected at Saltaire in association with the institution founded by Sir Titus Salt.

Truth says: During the earthquake scare at a certain town on the Riviera, a lady, whose beautiful golden hair had excited the admiration of all beholders, rushed from her room into the garden, all "tattered and shorn," her fright being so great that she had neglected to don her tresses.

According to a telegram from Botania, in Italy, Lord R. Churchill has arrived in that town, where the cholera is steadily increasing. To-day there were three fresh cases and two deaths. J. H.

MR. GORDON'S ELECTION.

Rejoicings Over the Event in Nanaimo Last Saturday.

On Saturday last at 2 o'clock in the presence of the candidates and their friends, Mr. W. Bray, returning officer for the District of Vancouver, made an official recount of the ballots cast for Messrs. Gordon and Planta. There were eighteen ballot boxes, and the total vote cast was 713 for Mr. Gordon and 465 for Mr. Planta, giving the former a majority of 248, as already announced. There were 20 spoiled ballots. The total vote cast was 1,198. The returning officer then declared Mr. Gordon elected, which announcement was received with great cheering for both candidates.

Mr. Planta then made a lengthy speech, thanking his friends for the support extended him. Now that the contest was over he wished all to be as friendly as they were before the combat had been begun. For his opponent, Mr. Gordon, he wished him every success now that he was again elected. Mr. Planta invoked the blessing and guidance of the Supreme Being in Mr. Gordon's behalf in guiding him in the discharge of his onerous duties. He concluded by bidding the electors a political good bye.

An address was then presented to Mr. Gordon by Messrs. Pawson, C. C. McKenzie and A. R. Johnson, on behalf of the central committee of the member elect, congratulating him on his victory, endorsing his political career and thanking him for his exertions on behalf of the District.

In his reply, Mr. Gordon, who was visibly affected, thanked his supporters and friends for their continued confidence in him. He alluded to the manner in which the votes deposited in the ballot boxes had spoken and the snub they had so effectually given to the approach of tyranny and the interloper within the District. He had the solid influence of the Local government to contend against, as well as other powerful agencies. Yet he was satisfied from the first that his conduct in the past was right, and that alone had the effect of buoying him up under the great odds he had to contend with. To the electors of every polling division in the District he returned his warmest thanks. He alluded to the influence exercised by the Island railway, its President and Higginism in Sooke, at the Royal Oak and other benighted localities. The entire press, excepting THE TIMES, had opposed him. To that journal was due the credit of approving of his policy in parliament during the last four years. He concluded by thanking the officers for the courtesy extended to him.

In the evening a torch-light procession paraded the principal streets, headed by a band. They serenaded Mr. Gordon at his residence, that gentleman entertaining them in the most hospitable manner. Mr. Planta was also remembered, and duly acknowledged the compliment, when the gathering dispersed.

Good Friday Excursion.

An excursion will take place to Shawnigan Lake on Good Friday, April 8th. An angling competition has been arranged for prizes amounting to $25 given by Mr. Charles Morton, of the Morton House. Mr. Morton has also erected a large dancing platform 100x80 feet in size where Terpsichorean festivities may be indulged in. Rifle shooting and other sports will be provided.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR

Full Text of Cardinal Manning's Letter on the Subject.

Approves Cardinal Gibbon's Views--Attitude of the Church.

BALTIMORE, March 31.—A special from Rome gives the following as the text of the letter of Cardinal Manning regarding the Knights of Labor to a prominent divine in that city:

ARCHBISHOP'S HOUSE, WESTMINSTER,
LONDON, March 11th.

My Dear Lord:—I have read, with assent Cardinal Gibbon's document in relation to the Knights of Labor. The Holy See will, I am sure, be convinced by his exposition of the state of affairs in the New World. I hope it will open a new field for thought and action. It passes my understanding that officious persons should be listened to rather than church officers. Surely the Episcopal of the whole world is a most powerful and direct instrument in the hands of the Holy See for gathering a correct local knowledge, and enforcing its decisions. Who can know the temper of America, England and Ireland as they who have a finger upon the pulse of the people? Hitherto the world has been governed by dynasties. Henceforth the Holy See will have to deal with the people, and it has its bishops in close duty and personal contact with the people. Never at any previous time has the Episcopal been so detached from civic power, and united in itself, and so well able to see to realize and use its powers. A failure to see and use these powers will breed much trouble and mischief. My thanks are due to the Cardinal for letting me share in the argument. If I can find a copy of a lecture, "Dignity and Rights of Labor," I will send it to him. It will, I think, qualify me for Knighthood in the Order. Brentans, some years ago, published books on Guilds, in which he proves that association of labor and crafts goes back to antiquity. But there is this notable fact in English and Teutonic laws that they recognized charters in Imperial and Latin laws, and they were vigorously prohibited. We are at this day as a church, a mother, a friend and a protection of the people. As the Lord walked among them so His church lives among them. The Cardinal's argument is irresistible. Your affectionate servant in Christ, HENRY EDWARDS, Cardinal, Archbishop, Westminster.

AN OUTLAW SHOT.

Breaking Up of a Murderous Gang in New Mexico.

SANTA FE, March 30.—It was reported here last night that Marino Leyba, the notorious outlaw and desperado and leader of the gang who terrorized central New Mexico for six months, had been killed while resisting arrest near Antelope Springs, seventy miles south of here. The report is confirmed to-day by the arrival of Josquin Monterea and Carlos Joconie with the body. They were deputized by Sheriff Chavez, Santa Fe County, to make the arrest and met Leyba on a mountain trail while on the lookout for him. When ordered to surrender the outlaw pulled his pistol and Monterea and Jaconie pulled theirs. The three shots sounded like one. Monterea got a bullet through the head but Leyba fell dead at his feet also shot through the head. Leyba led the gang that murdered Col. Chas. Potter, stepson to Governor Vanzandt, Rhode Island, in the Dolories Mountain in 1880, and buried the body after taking several hundred dollars from it. Four of the gang were captured by Sheriff Armitage and taken to Albuquerque, where they were lynched. Leyba the fifth member hid in the mountains but came out again, after all witnesses were dead. He was afterward convicted for stealing, and sent up for five years in the penitentiary, when he was discharged six months ago. He immediately returned to this flourishing mining country and re-organized a gang; they would shoot whole towns, steal horses and rob travellers. Their last outrage was the murder and robbery of Lackey and Teisier's bar at Antelope Springs. These men owned 20,000 sheep down there. Lackey was killed in his house and his body burned; Teisier was shot in the back while running. Two of the Leyba gang were arrested for the murder and are now held for trial. A reward of $1,200 was offered for Leyba. His death will break up the gang. Many people visited the Santa Fe jail to-day. The leading people in southern New Mexico are greatly pleased over the death of the outlaw and are thoroughly organized for the apprehension and suppression of the rest of the gang.

Ran into and Swamped.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 30.—Information has been received here of an outrage on Cooper river near Oakley. A large number of colored laborers, who have been working on a river plantation on one side of the river were being conveyed across to their homes on the other side in a flat boat. When the boat was in the middle of the stream it was passed by the sloop Carrie and Hattie. After passing about a hundred yards the sloop came about, and notwithstanding ample room in the river, ran directly into the flat boat which was partially split open and a number of men knocked into the river, four of them being drowned. A jury inquest put the responsibility on Captain Painsett, who has been committed to jail.

An Officer Shot Dead.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 30.—A special from Rio Grande city, Tex, says, Corporal Boyer and another soldier were approached by four Mexicans on the reservation at Fort Ringold on the evening of the 26th. One Mexican opened fire shooting Boyer through the heart. The other soldier then retreated. The Mexicans were arrested last night on suspicion. The survivor declares himself able to identify the assassins.

New Rates.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Under the new tariff, as governed by the passage of the Inter-State Commerce law, the rates on hops will be as follows: From Pacific Coast terminal points to Missouri River and common points, $1.75 per 100 pounds; to St. Louis and common points, $1.85 per 100 pounds, and to Chicago and common points, $1.95 per 100 pounds.

A Popular Man Dies.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Sam Turner, a popular hotel man and part proprietor of the Grand Pacific, died at 12:45 this afternoon.

Cholera Coming North.

ST. LOUIS, March 31.—The El Paso, Texas, *Republican's* special says: A quarantine was instituted to-day against cholera. Cholera has travelled northward in South America until it has reached the Isthmus of Panama. It is feared that the Mexican trains may bring it into the United States. All persons, baggage and freight from the infected parts will be denied admittance to the United States. All mail from these points will be disinfected before being received into the United States.

An Oleomargarine Conviction.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—The Court of Appeal has affirmed the judgment of the General Term convicting Lipmen Arensburg for selling oleomargarine, in violation of the statute. Judge Rapallo in delivering his opinion said that the artificial coloring of oleomargarine, to make it resemble dairy butter, came within the statutory prohibition against imitation.

The Union Pacific.

BOSTON, March 30.—At the annual meeting of the Union Pacific Railroad in this city, resolutions were adopted instructing the president and directors to formulate and submit to the government plans for setting the subsidy and funding the same for such periods, rates of interests, and under such terms, as to add additional surety for the gradual repayment of the principal, as will in their judgments be wise and just to the company and the government.

Another Celestial Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Chinatown was again the scene of murder last night, Leong Sing, said to be a high-binder, entered a restaurant at 8:30 on Washington street, kept by Leong Chung, and on being refused money, drew a revolver and fired at Chung. The bullet entered his brain. He was carried to the Receiving Hospital and died there at 1 o'clock this morning. Sing left immediately after the shooting and was not found till 2 p. m. He is now in prison and charged with murder.

Starving in Newfoundland.

BOSTON, March 31.—A special from St. Johns, N. F., says the budget to be presented to-day will, it is rumored, show a deficit of three-quarters of a million dollars, the largest portion of which has been spent in relief works, to keep the people from starving this winter.

STANLEY HEARD FROM.

British Slowness --- Germany's Aggressive Policy on the Dark Continent.

Emin Bey to be Relieved---Contracts with Native Chiefs.

LONDON, March 31.—A letter has been received from Stanley, dated Capetown, March 9th. He expresses his bewilderment at the constant evidences he sees of the British yielding and shaking in African affairs before noise, bluster and mock heroisms. In the West and North he says France and Portugal have strode onward with audacious and frantic haste and have exploded British trade. On coming to Zanzibar he finds that the British fleet has given way to Germans, and that German orders outnumber those of the British. There is an aggressiveness about the Germans that is ominous. Their manner is haughty and overbearing, and carries an air of that you must let the natives look on the whites and the British with superb indifference. I found Tippoo still the uncrowned king in the region between Stanley Falls and Tanganyika Lake, commanding thousands of fighting Arabs. He was equally ready to fight, or be employed. I chose the latter, not with the view of his helping me in reaching Emin Bey, but assisting in bringing away the Emin's store valued at $80,000. In the presence of the British Consul I contracted with Tippoo to supply me with 600 carriers. I also, after receiving consent from King Leopold appointed Tippoo to go to Stanley Falls on a regular salary. He guarantees to defend that section against the Arabs and to defeat and capture all persons raiding for slaves; to abstain from engaging in slave traffic himself. Below Stanley Falls a European officer will be appointed by the President at Stanley Falls, to insure his adherence and to contract and stop Tippoo's salary on a breach of the engagement. So far there has been no hitch in the expedition. Everybody shows the utmost sympathy and our difficulties have been smoothed by the prevailing good feeling. I have sent a letter to Emin Bey, giving him the probable date of our arrival. Tippoo Sib has ordered his people to concentrate at Stanley Falls and to be in readiness for marching.

A SEALER LOST.

Nothing Heard of her 250 Crew ---Wreckage Strews the Coast.

ST. JOHN, N. F., March 31.—A report has reached here of the total loss of the sealing steamer Eagle and her crew of 250 men on shoals near Funk Island, off Bonna Vista Bay. No particulars of the disaster are yet at hand. Debris, consisting of deck, ladders, forecastle deck, and cooking gear, with the name of the steamer on it has been found on the ice. The supposition is that the steamer's boiler exploded.

THE REPORT CONFIRMED.

The reported loss of the steamer Eagle is confirmed by the discovery of wreckage off Bonna Vista Bay. The crew numbered 200 men. There is nothing showing that anyone was saved. The steamer was lost on the shoals near Funk Island, off Bonna Vista Bay. Debris, comprising deck ladders, forecastle deck, and cooking gear, with steamer's name was found on the beach and the inhabitants are looking for bodies. Most of the lost seamen lived in and about St. Johns, and the excitement and grief here is intense. The Eagle was a large sealing steamer, commanded by Capt. Jackman, and owned by Messrs. Bowing Bros. of this city.

Customs Collections.

Collections at the port of Victoria, B. C., for the month ending 31st March, 1887:

Duties	$60,[illegible]
Miscellaneous	[illegible]
Chinese Immigration Act	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

The Legislature.

The House of Assembly will meet again to-morrow at 2 p. m. In consequence of the delays consequent to the death of the premier, the House [illegible] progress before the end of next week.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Thursday, March 31, 1887.

MUNICIPAL QUALIFICATIONS.

During the 1879 session of the Ontario Legislature an amendment to the Municipalities Act was carried raising the property qualification of candidates for municipal honors. The sums specified were to be in excess of all encumbrances. This led to much trouble, as it was difficult to ascertain the exact value of the property on which candidates qualified themselves. We observe that Mr. GIBSON, M. P. P., of Hamilton, has introduced a bill to further amend the Municipal Act, the first provision of which is to the effect that

No qualification beyond the qualification of an elector shall be necessary in the persons to be elected mayors, aldermen, reeves, deputy reeves and councillors of any municipality.

A bill is now before the Local Legislature here to increase, defining the qualification as follows:

For Mayor, being a British subject, and having been for the six months next preceding the day of election the registered owner in the Land Registry office of real property of the assessed value of twenty-five hundred dollars, or more, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter;

For Councillor, being a British subject, and having been for three months next preceding the day of election, the owner of real property of the assessed value in the last Municipal Assessment Roll of five hundred dollars, or more, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

Considerable can be said both for and against these changes. Those in favor of a high qualification will maintain that such is necessary, as it will act as a check on extravagance. To this argument a very good reply is to be found in the fact that there is really no qualification required of candidates for the House of Commons, who have it in their power to spend a million for every hundred that is spent in a municipality. It is not as if a municipal councillor was elected for life, and was to be as irresponsible as are the Dominion Senators. Mayors, reeves and councillors have to go back for re-election. The Mayor of this city every year, as well as several of the council. If they do wrong they can very easily be brought up short by the taxpayers. Moreover, what is the use of a property qualification when it can be evaded so easily as it frequently is?

CONVICT LABOR.

During the late Dominion elections much was heard of the system of letting out the labor of convicts by tender and its effect upon the free labor market, it being held that the product of the labor of convicts should not come into competition with the labor of men who committed no crime and who have families to support. The subject is one that has been debated for a number of years, without any practical solution being arrived at. The Ottawa Government has given notice of its intention to introduce legislation on this problem. It is certain the resolutions will carry. The question then arises "what shall be done with the convicts?" It is generally admitted that something is absolutely necessary for the moral and physical welfare of the convicts that they should do a full day's work on every working day, and that the work should be of some useful character. Were convicts to do only what work is necessary to keep their prisons clean and in good order they must be subject to much solitary confinement, and as the thoughts of those who have long lived a life of crime usually run to evil the chances of their reformation would be greatly lessened under such a system. In the old days of the treadmill convicts complained of the severity of the labor, but it was seldom known that any moral improvement was effected by such means. From the days of the great HOWARD, philanthropists and others have given the subject much attention, but without any satisfactory solution.

THE most enduring books ever contrived were those in the library of Sardanapalus at Nineveh. They are clay tablets which have stood the test of time and can be deciphered. The papyri of Egypt would have perished long ago but for the dryness of the climate. As it is the Egyptain papyri are probably the oldest books known.

The many friends of the Hon. Alex. Mackenzie will be pleased to learn that he will be able to take his place in parliament at the approaching session of parliament. Though still far from well, he hopes to participate in the proceedings as opportunity may permit. The old warhorse never likes to be far from the front when a battle is in progress.

DURING the last five years there has been a remarkable increase in the number of religious sects in England and Wales. They number at the present time 230, have 46,000 places of worship, of which 24,000 have been certified and recorded as such to the registrar general. As far as can be ascertained, sitting accommodations is provided for 15,000,000 persons. The latest returns give the total number of ministers of religion at 36,000; church and chapel officials, 160,000, and 3,000,000 of communicants. The annual cost of the various efforts for the social, moral and religious reformation of the people is roundly estimated at £16,000,000.

THE Parish School system of Scotland for many years was the admiration of the civilized world. To that institution more than to any other cause Scotland owes much of her greatness. It is indeed a rare occurrence to find a Scottie, of either sex, unable to read and write. At the recent election in Great Britain there were polled in West Aberdeenshire 5,511 votes, and every voter could sign his name; in East Aberdeenshire 7,496 votes were cast, and every voter but two could sign his own name, so that only *two* men out of 13,007 voters were unable to write their names. Is there another constituency in the world where there are so few "illiterates?"

OUR BANKING HOUSES.

Meeting of the Shareholders of the Banks of British Columbia and North America.

Highly Satisfactory Reports Presented to the Shareholders by the Chairmen.

Bank of British Columbia.

A general meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of British Columbia was held at the City Terminus Hotel, Cannon street, London, on the 15th February. Mr. Robert Gillespie, chairman of the court of directors, presided. Mr. H. Hughes, general manager, read the notice convening the meeting. Mr. Bently asked the Board to provide the proprietors with a detailed report of the meeting.

The chairman said: I have pleasure in again meeting you and in submitting thus early in the year—and you will observe that we meet earlier this year than we ever have before—our accounts from the Pacific side to the 31st December last. In contrasting the statements with the two previous half-years', you will observe that they compare favorably with them in all respects, and that the gross and net profits exceed those of the periods I have referred to. This success is the most gratifying as it marks a general improvement in the trade of the places in which we transact our business; an improvement that I hope may be still further marked, and that the prosperity of the past may again visit the Pacific coast. I think we may fairly anticipate this, looking at the great efforts now making to develop the resources of the country generally, and more particularly British Columbia. The opening of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway have already given increased vitality to many important interests. This advancement and progress have naturally led your directors from time to time to see the necessity of meeting the

ADDITIONAL BANKING REQUIREMENTS

of British Columbia, and we have, therefore, since our last meeting, established a branch at Vancouver. That branch, I am pleased to inform the shareholders, not only supports itself, but has already contributed something to our profits. (Applause.) I think this must be satisfactory to you. I may at the same time add, that the bank being especially identified with British Columbia, and I lay stress upon these words, the directors are prepared to further extend to and occupy such other points as may seem to call for banking accommodation; and it is not improbable that further new agencies may be appointed during the current season. The prospects generally appear favorable, and the opening up and development of the country (to which I have already referred) by the railways, the increased trade in coal, the improvement in lumber, and the seemingly promising prospects for quartz mining, all lead to the legitimate expectation that good results may be obtained from our business during the present year. I will now ask you to follow me while I shortly refer to the figures in the balance sheet. I will first take the liabilities. Your capital remains the same. The reserve fund, you will observe, since December, 1885, has been increased £15,000. (Hear, hear.) It now stands at £85,000, and I hope that you will approve of the recommendation we to-day submit to you to increase that by another £5,000, making it £90,000; but I will refer to that later on.

THE NOTES IN CIRCULATION

show an important increase. But I would warn my friends not to expect that we are always going to increase our note circulation. This increase has partly arisen from the demand which has been made upon us through the Canadian Pacific Railway expenditure. I think it is only right to guard myself in that way. The current accounts have increased. Both as regards comparison with December, 1885, and also June last, they show an important increase. And I think that is evidence of an increasing connection and business relations. Bills payable are rather less, and the other current liabilities are less. Turning now to the assets, the first item is the specie and cash at bankers and gold bars. That is larger than in the June half-year, and it is less than in the corresponding period of 1885. But having regard to our direct liabilities, and also our liability to be called upon for the Dominion notes, I do not think that it is in excess of our needs or our safety. In the securities Consols remain the same, but in India Stock we have reduced the cost and brought them down to the present value of 102. The bills receivable show an increase; the bills discounted are slightly less, and the other securities are somewhat less also.

THE BANK PREMISES

have increased a few hundred pounds owing to the opening of the Vancouver branch to which I have already referred. The profit and loss accounts require very little remark from me beyond this, that the charges with our increased business show a reduction, and this notwithstanding the increased taxation at San Francisco. I have already stated that the net and gross profits both compare favorably with the two previous half years, being in excess in each case. This I feel, and I markedly refer to this, is due greatly to the ability and vigilance of our general manager, managers and staff generally; and as further evidence of the care and attention bestowed by them on the business of the bank I may mention, and I do it with great satisfaction, that the business for the past half-year has been conducted without any bad debts. I hold that this is due very greatly to the loyal attention to instructions, and the ability and care of our staff. I hope this will be appreciated by you all. I will deal now with the balance of profit and loss account. You will observe that there is a balance of £25,999 13s. 2d., and we propose, with your sanction, to pay a dividend as usual at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the half-year ending the 31st December last, with a bonus of 2 per cent.; to credit the reserve fund with £5,000, making it £90,000; and to carry forward a balance of £2,249 13s. 2d. to the next account. As regards

THE RESERVE FUND,

I am confident that the directors will approve of the policy of strengthening this fund when we are able to (hear, hear)—and I hope to see it of still larger dimensions. But the time, it appears to me, is approaching when it may not be necessary for us to do so in such substantial sums as hitherto, thus enabling your directors to further consider the shareholders in the division to them. This you will receive not as any promise, but as a prospect looming in the distance. I beg now to move that the report and statement of accounts as now submitted be received and adopted.

Mr. Elon Colville seconded the motion, and it was carried unanimously.

The chairman then proposed that a dividend be paid on the paid up capital of the bank at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum and a bonus of 2 per cent. free of income tax for the half year ending 31st of last December, which was seconded by Mr. Diggle. The retiring directors, Messrs. Colville and Anderson were re-elected. Auditors were then appointed and the meeting adjourned.

Bank of British North America.

The yearly meeting of this institution was held on Tuesday, 8th March, at 3 Clements-lane, Lombard street, London, Mr. B. H. Glynn in the chair. Mr. Wallis read the directors' report as follows: "The court of directors have pleasure in submitting the accompanying balance-sheet and statement of profit and loss account as on the 31st December last, showing £79,552, 1s. 8d. as the net profit for the year 1886. Out of this sum the directors have now to report the declaration of a dividend of 40s. per share, payable, free of income tax, on the 5th April next, making, with the dividend paid in October, a distribution of 7½ per cent. for the year ending 31st December, 1886. The dividend warrants will be remitted to the proprietors as usual."

The chairman, in rising to second the report, said that there are a few alterations in the items in the balance sheet for the last year, which has been circulated amongst you, compared with that for 1885, upon which I will make a few remarks. You will notice that the

DEPOSITS HAVE INCREASED

£70,000; the circulation is also slightly increased. On the asset side there is a large alteration in the item of investments, which were £249,000 last year, and now stand at £13,834. That is an amount which fluctuates very much, but it is merely a temporary one, and consists of good securities in which the bank finds it convenient from time to time temporarily to employ its funds. Therefore it must be of a fluctuating character, sometimes of a large amount, and sometimes small, and when the accounts were made up it was a small amount. There is a very considerable increase in the item of bank premises—a matter of about £6,000—which is money expended upon bank premises at Montreal and Toronto, but chiefly at Montreal. I think, gentlemen, we may fairly congratulate ourselves upon the result of last year's working, particularly when we remember that

MONEY WAS VERY CHEAP

during the greater portion of the year, and as a matter of consequence, competition in Canada was very keen for the amount of business. We have an average dividend for the whole year at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum, and, after providing in full for all bad and doubtful debts, we have carried forward £1,500 to the rest, which now reaches £226,362, which is larger than since the year 1875. In 1874 it was a quarter of a million, and I hope we shall gradually be able to get back to that figure—a most desirable thing, as far as the credit is concerned, always. With regard to the present year, the prospects are certainly favorable. Trade in Canada is improving, and, I believe, on a sound basis, and with this large

EXTENSION AND DEVELOPMENT

which must occur, owing to the opening of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and other great railways, we may see a greater development in the year to come than in the past. The bank is very strong, and ready and anxious to take advantage of any amount of business. We have a most efficient staff and we are much obliged to them for the zeal and energy they have shown during the past year in our service. (Hear, hear.) We have opened an agency at Winnipeg quite recently, which we hope will not only be remunerative, but also be of service to many valued friends in the east who have connection in that part. We also have in contemplation to open shortly

A BRANCH AT VANCOUVER.

I do not think I have anything else to say to you, but if any gentleman wishes to ask any questions I shall be happy to answer them to the best of my ability.

Mr. A. H. Phillpotts seconded the report which was adopted.

The retiring directors were re-elected.

Mr. M. Powell in moving a vote of thanks to the president, directors and the officers, said that he was gratified to learn that it had been decided upon to open new agencies in the Northwest as well as throughout Canada.

The president acknowledged the vote of thanks proposed, after which the meeting adjourned.

Following is the balance sheet, 31st December, 1886:

LIABILITIES.

	£	s.	d.
Capital	1,000,000	0	0
Circulation	204,401	1	0
Deposits	1,328,419	10	9
Bills payable and other liabilities	1,591,983	9	11
Reserve for Dividend to 31st Dec., 1886, payable 5th April	40,000	0	0
Undivided net profit	226,362	7	1
	£4,391,166	8	9

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.
Specie and cash at Bankers	537,882	9	0
Bills receivable and other securities	3,765,919	2	6
Investments	13,834	17	3
Bank premises	73,500	0	0
	£4,391,166	8	9

Look to Your Chimneys.

Chimneys ought to be examined frequently to make sure that there are no cracks in them. It is an excellent plan to have the chimney so constructed that it is never concealed by the wall of a room, thus preventing a thorough examination of it. A house often settles, and this cracks the chimney, but the crack is hidden. By and by fire makes its way out, and a "mysterious fire" results. All chimneys ought to be well plastered with good mortar outside and in when they are built, and the work of the mason should be inspected thoroughly to make sure he does a good job. The chimney should be cleaned at least twice a year. If this is done it will not be likely to "burn out." If it does get on fire throw a handful of salt into the stove. This will deaden the fire almost immediately. Remember this and it may be of benefit to you.—American Agriculturist.

Our Standing Army.

Gen. Sheridan's report shows that we have now less than 25,000 men in our army. Of these 2,102 are officers, so that we have an officer for every 11 men. The highest number of soldiers ever in the army was in 1865, when we had about 500 more than 1,000,000. In 1790 there was less than 1,000, and in 1810, shortly before the second war with England, less than 10,000 men guarded the whole United States. Ten years later 12,000 were sufficient for all our needs; and in 1848, at the close of the Mexican war, we had less than 50,000 soldiers, and only 100 or so more officers than we have now. In 1861 the army jumped quickly from 12,000 to 186,000 men. It increased right along up to 1865, when it reached the enormous figure above stated.—Frank G. Carpenter.

Rare Modesty.

Queen Margaret of Italy has been spending a fortnight at Courmayeur, a watering place in Savoy. An administrative ukase has prohibited the admission of the public to the baths during the visits of her majesty. The queen was greatly surprised to find herself all alone in the establishment, and when told the reason she eagerly protested, saying: "It is very dull being in the water without any one to talk to, and the chances are that you do not stay in the proper length of time." The prohibition was then canceled and the baths opened to the general public, but no lady ventured to enter the establishment in the presence of her majesty, and the authorities were at last compelled to distribute free tickets of admission among a number of respectable schoolgirls, that they might divert the distinguished patient while using the waters.—Corriere di Torino.

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8 yds Fine White Cotton 36-inch	1 00
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Size 58x58 Colored Damask Table Covers	1 00
Size 10-4 Wht Honey Comb Quilts	1 25
Size 11-4 do. do.	1 90
30-inch Stout Ticking 8 yds	1 00
30-inch do. do. Fancy Stripe, 6 yds	1 00
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I know of nothing in all the world, unless it be an autumn sunrise through valley mists, that is so bewildering in its effect as is this marvelous creation. That it is the most fascinating and enchanting work is confessed by all who have ever come within its influence; but, further, I believe it to be the most perfect and consummate work of architecture in the world. This may be said hurriedly and thoughtlessly, or ignorantly, or vainly, but after long study, which serves only to disclose some hitherto unexpected beauty, I cannot name any building in England, France, Italy or Germany which can remotely be compared with it for perfect union of all the powers possible to architecture.

And now let us enter the church through the central porch—a kingly portal, indeed, fit for the central fact of the city that once was the central fact of the world, and remains even now its loveliest and most precious treasure. On either side rise wide ranges of slender shafts, serpentine and alabaster, and pure Greek marble and verd antique, each with its varied capital of intricate design. A double tier on either hand, from the top whereof springs the vast circling archivolt of most exquisite tracery. There the forest of columns closes closer and the arches sink lower, leaving above a vast field where once glowed the golden mosaic of the "Resurrection;" then, last of all, the finer, clear lines of the architrave, and so we pass beneath and stand within the atrium, that, in a series of low, vaulted domes, follows two sides of the basilica. A wonderful place even this, with precious columns of finest stone ranged everywhere along the wall, covered now with soft gray bloom, like a fresh grape, but polished here and there so that the exquisite veining shows in all its beauty. A long gray corridor this, that follows far around to the transept door beyond.

This is only the prelude to what is beyond. Lift the curtain of one of the side doors and go within. After the pearly light of the atrium all that one sees at first is a golden gloom, in the depth of which we stand. Shadowy shafts rise about us, and beyond them lies a great space of soft, golden light, not bright and clear, but low and solemn. Beside us a vast wide wall of polished marble of the color of incense smoke, warped into bending lines, lifts itself clear from the ragged mosaic beneath our feet; and as it rises the precious marble gives panels here and there of solemn saints and winged angels, shadowy in color, with dull gold gleaming behind them. Higher and higher reaches the field of stone, and changes now to vast, vague mosaics in strange design and mystic symbolism. Higher still, and long lines of soft light strike through high windows, and then far above comes the vast arch of a golden vault where still are figures and designs in endless measure. Down far below the shadows thicken and dark pillars and arches rise close, circle above circle, and through them one sees dimly how the shadows gather closer again and shape themselves into the indistinct form of a chapel, where slender shafts with fretted capitals, delicate statues of saints and screens of varied marble rise over the still deeper shadow beyond, where only is seen the flickering flame in brazen lamps and the dim glory of a golden aureole. And always through these gathered shadows glows here and there the golden light in some domelike vault or strikes a pencil of trembling rays from an unseen window. Yet all seems very small, with little space.

Let us walk toward the light in the chapel beyond; over the heaving floor of shattered mosaic we advance slowly as the shadow opens for us and closes behind. Shaft and pier and circling arch and inlaid vault fall always into new arrangements of perfect light and shade, and the eye lingers with loving delight on the carven marble of a thousand colors that sheathes the wall in every varying beauty. And now we stand among the vast piers of marble, four square, soft rosy brown in color, rising from bases of crimson marble, joined above with golden arches and lost above in gloom, where they bear the domes as yet unseen. Turn to the right, down the transept isle, into the deeper darkness, toward the strange Arabian doorway, where the red lamp burns continuously; then step out into the wide space of the transept, and without looking up, as yet, walk to the further aisle and sit down on the marble seat that stretches along the transept wall, and then raise your eyes slowly.

All the closeness of the shafts and piers is gone, "and there opens before us a vast cave, hewn out into the form of a cross, and divided into shadowy aisles by many pillars. Round the domes of its roof the light enters only through narrow apertures, like large stars, and here and there a ray or two from some far away casement wanders into the darkness and casts a narrow, phosphoric stream upon the waves of marble that heave and fall in a thousand colors along the floor."

Below is all strange shadow and indistinctness, whereupon the marble shafts seem to gather themselves into being like transmuted columns of purple incense, rising in slowly growing strength and clearness in the upper air, spreading into fair walls of polished alabaster that break and curve into vast and wonderful arches. And so upward, where seems a sunlight forever, for the walls glow now with broken gold, and arch and vault flash back swift gleams of fire or gather in heavy gloom of luminous shadow. And everywhere a wonder of mystic images on wall and arch and vault, higher and higher yet, until the paired walls bend to each other and join in circling arches of sheeted gold, and lift at last and over all into one magical sequence of circling domes, sheathed with splendid gold, and charged with solemn figures of saints and angels, and powers of good and evil; and over all Christ looks down upon His people.—Cor. Boston Transcript.

Few Quails in Dakota.

Quails are almost unknown in Dakota, and some of the gun clubs are trying to introduce them. The Kimball Graphic notes as a remarkable freak that eight of the little birds alighted on the sidewalk in the business part of the city recently. They were evidently bewildered strangers to the country, or the street was one of those noted sometimes, where the merchants do not advertise.—Chicago Herald.

A Conundrum.

Mr. Bones—Now, sir, can you tell me why an oyster dealer is like a suction pump? Interlocutor—I don't know, Mr. Bones; why is an oyster dealer like a suction pump? Mr. Bones—Because he works bivalves. Interlocutor—Mr. Hoarsey will sing "When the Bridge Begins to Turn."—Rambler.

The gulf is growing wide between Lazarus and Dives, only the two have changed places. Dives is in Abraham's bosom.—Col. Bob Ingersoll.

A church that can't do anything but keep itself straight is a failure.—Rev. Sam Jones.

NOTICE.

B. C. DIRECTORY.

ALL BUSINESS FIRMS MAKING CHANGES in their establishments, or other persons of new arrival, wishing to have their names inserted in the New Directory, free of charge, will please forward alterations or names to the publishers office Broad street.

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Victoria, March 11, 1887. mar11

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Notices.

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APPLICATIONS for the position of Visiting Surgeon to the Royal Hospital for the ensuing year, from 31st March, 1887, will be received by the Directors on or before noon on April 6th, 1887.

J. STUART YATES, Hon. Secretary.

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ROYAL HOSPITAL.

To Grocers Butchers Bakers and Druggists.

SEPARATE sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned on behalf of the Royal Hospital until noon on WEDNESDAY, April 6th, 1887, for supplies for the ensuing year ending March 31st, 1888. Tenders to be endorsed "Royal Hospital Supplies." Specifications can be seen on application to

J. STUART YATES, Hon. Secty, Langley Street.

A. McLEAN, President.

Victoria, B. C. March 25th, 1887. mar 25

WARNING!

All persons are hereby informed that James' Bay Bridge Will be closed until further notice.

Persons passing the Barricade at either end will do so at their own risk, and are liable to be prosecuted.

By order,

P. LEECH,

Victoria, February 24th, 1887. City Surveyor.

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,

(LIMITED.),

ASSESSMENT No. 12.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 6th day of April, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent and treated accordingly.

By order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Dated 17th March, 1887. mar18 td

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,

(LIMITED.)

Location of principal place of business Victoria
Location of Works..........Cariboo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Call No 10 of one cent per share, upon the members of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), made on the sixteenth day of December A. D. 1886, is now due and unpaid in respect of the shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described shares, on account of the said assessments, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount
Duncan Crockett	36*	10	$0 10
do.	72	10	10
do.	552	10	10
Mason & Daly	1006	500	5.00

The above mentioned shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest at the rate of one per cent per month from the twentieth day of January A. D. 1887, and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Thursday the seventh day of April, 1887, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Dated 28th March, 1887. mar 28-D&Wtd

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 1234 and part of Lot No. 211 Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES of Title of William Reid, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned property, bearing date respectively the 3rd day of March, 1864, and the 22nd day of May, 1871, have been lost, and application has been made for duplicates of such Certificates: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicates will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 5th March, 1887. mar5 1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED AS A PARTNER in the Pritchard House WILLIAM G. STEVENSON, late of the "Nickle Plate" Saloon and the firm will hereafter be known as Tait & Stevenson.

J. R. TAIT.

Victoria. March 22nd, 1887. mar22

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP FORMERLY EXISTING between D. R. Harris and G. Hargreaves as civil engineers under the name of Harris & Hargreaves, was dissolved on the 1st day of January, 1885, since which date the business has been carried on by G. Hargreaves on his own account.

D. R. HARRIS,
G. HARGREAVES.

Witness,
J. E. MARTIN.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of the late George Grant Walker are requested to pay the same, and all persons having claims against the said estate are to send them in to Donald Grant Walker, the Administrator.

THORNTON FELL, Solicitor for the Administrator.

Dated the 7th March, 1887. mar8

Notice.

MR. GUSTAV LEISER HAS BEEN Admitted as a partner in the business of a Dry Goods Merchant, now carried on by Moses Lenz upon Government Street and the concern will henceforth be known as "LENZ & LEISER."

Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886 MOSES LENZ.
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Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

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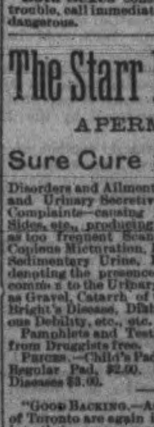

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Leaves Tacoma at	4:00 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	6:15 a.m.
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CITY AND PROVINCE.

—There was no Police Court to-day.

—Trebelli, the famous cantatrice, at the Victoria this evening.

Cash Buyers of Dry Goods, see Denny's advertisement.

—The Trebelli grand concert troupe are registered at the Driard.

—Something good for breakfast. Prime Findan Haddocks, fresh, at FELL & Co's.*

—Ovide Musin, the great violinist and other artists at the Victoria this evening.

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—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—Copies of Gilbert & Sullivan's latest opera RUDDIGORE just received at M. W. WAITT & Co.'s music store. *

—R. Beauchamp claims the first arrival of Findan Haddocks by express, via the C. P. R., since the blockade.

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—WORKINGMEN—Note the difference; candidates give you cheap talk, ERSKINE cheap boots at the corner of Government and Johnson Sts. *

—The Geo. E. Starr to-day brought 60 hogs for John Parker, 6 horses for J. Redmond and 244 boxes of crackers for local firms besides other freight.

—JULIUS BARRAN, Yates street, has imported a very fine lot of METT sausages from the Eastern States. Give him a call.

—The schools were closed to-day to afford the pupils an opportunity of attending the funeral of Hon. Mr. Smithe in a body.

—Go to the ALBION MARBLE WORKS for monuments and grave stones at reasonable prices. Fort street, near Blanchard. J. FISHER, proprietor.*

—The Messiah to be produced at the Victoria, April 11th, is advertised in a Seattle newspaper. The manager of this musical festival is indeed enterprising.

—A new locomotive for the Satsop Railroad Company of Washington Territory named the Agnes is on its way out from the east *via* the Canadian Pacific Railroad.

—The Amelia came around from Esquimalt at 10 o'clock this morning with a cargo of excellent wheat which she will take to Brackman & Kerr's mill, Saanich.

—Call and see our fine mouldings, all latest patterns, steel engravings and latest pictures. We make a specialty of mounting pictures, JOS. SOMMERS, Government St. *

—JULIUS BARRAN, pork packer and sausage maker, Yates street, has received from the COLONIAL and INDIAN EXHIBITION, London, a handsome bronze medal for best hams, bacon, shoulders and lard.*

—Consignees per Geo. E. Starr to-day: J H Todd & Son, H Harvey, Langley & Co, A R Johnson & Co, N E P S, H J Hartnell, T Cunningham, J E McDonald, S Leiser, J Parker, J Redmond, J Vair & Co, Mrs Sehl, Bornstein.

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings' Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B.C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—The steamer Susie arrived from San Juan last night with a large cargo of farm produce, which always meets with a ready sale here. As fine a lot of chickens as ever were seen came over. The American portion of San Juan island is described as a land flowing with milk and honey.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Reid, M. P. for Cariboo is in the city en route for Ottawa.

J. A. Mara, M. P. and wife left for Ottawa on Tuesday last via the N. P. R. R.

Messrs. Baker and Shakespeare will leave for Ottawa early in the incoming week.

Mr. John Campbell and family, of Seaforth, Ont., are on their way to this province, where they will reside in future.

Mme. Trebelli and maid, Ovide Musin, Paul Steindorff, Sig Duzensi, R. G. Johnson, of the Trebelli-Musin company, are stopping at the Driard.

E. W. Walters, New York, is at the Driard.

At the Clarence: Robert Knight, Seattle; John H. Bartle and wife, Port Arthur.

D. Chisholm, M. P., left New Westminster for Ottawa on Tuesday, accompanied by his niece, Miss Chisholm, to be present at the opening of parliament on April 13th. The members of the Caledonian Society, with sash and plaid on and headed by their piper, accompanied Mr. Chisholm to the depot, where three rousing cheers were given him by the vast crowd that had assembled to see him off, and not until the train rounded the curve near Sapperton did the waving of handkerchiefs and wishes of a God-speed on his journey and legislative duties did the concourse scatter, which the member elect gracefully acknowledged by repeated bowing.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr to-day: D S McGuiness, Mrs Graham, Messin, Johnson, W E Wallace, Col Shaw, wife and daughter, Mrs Hume, Mrs Anderson, Mdme Trebelli, Mons Musin, Steindorf, Duzensi, J Redmond, Miss Andrews, Miss Durabelli, Lavender and wife, E J Nelson, W Ellis, G Halpin, M Roberts, Fiske, Bryant, Wrede, Wren, Kelly, J McFagan, Davis, Burrough, and others.

Passengers by the Princess Louise from Burrard Inlet last night: J Orr, Capt Howard, Rev Percival, F Harper, J Reed, C W Rhodes, E E Blackwood, Capt Gray, Mrs Jackson, Mrs Bailey, Mrs J McNiff.

Strike at Douglas Island.

The miners employed at the Treadwell mine went on strike about the 4th inst. The working boss had ordered five of the miners to go into the tunnel to work the Burley drills. The place being a damp and disagreeable one in which to work the men refused to do so unless a raise was made in their wages to $3 per day and board. Upon making this demand they were discharged. Others were then ordered into the tunnel, but they refused on the same grounds, and were heartily seconded by their fellow workmen, who also made the demand of $3 per day. Preceding this, the Siwashes, or Indian workmen, demanded an increase in their wages, and threatened to strike if not acceded to. About half of the workmen and the Siwashes again resumed work, and the mill will not close down.

A Progressive Municipality.

The municipality of Richmond, on the North Arm of the Fraser river, is one of the most progressive in the province. The settlers there next week are to vote on a by-law to raise the sum of $30,000 for local improvements, the principal one being the construction of a bridge connecting Lulu Island with the mainland; the balance to be appropriated in the building of new roads. The proximity of this important settlement to the city of Vancouver has given a great impetus to agricultural pursuits as a ready market is found in that city for all sorts of produce, and at remunerative figures. If judiciously expended the money to be raised by way of a loan will prove of great advantage to the entire municipality.

Odd Fellows to the Front.

The Odd Fellows are always found at the front when acts of benevolence or deeds of charity are to be performed. At the meeting of Columbia Lodge last night a committee was appointed to act in conjunction with committees from the other local lodges to arrange for some public entertainments, the proceeds of which are to be given to the fund for the Jubilee Hospital. If actively prosecuted, as it doubtless will be, the proposed entertainment will be a signal success, and to the brethren of the triple links will belong the honor of laying the foundation of a noble institution.

Capt. Peele Resigns.

Capt. Peele, of the rifles, has resigned his command. He joined the Victoria rifles in 1864 and continued to serve in that corps until 1870 when he entered the New Westminster Rifle Company, and assisted Capt. Edmonds to organize it. He received his commission as ensign in 1874, and in 1877 he was promoted to the rank of captain and continued in the service until Saturday last when he sent in his resignation.

As Natural as Life.

At Fell & Co.'s store, Fort street, is a large picture of the Mayor and Councillors, forming the City Council for 1886. The work is a photograph done by Hastings, the photographer. Each face, form and figure is as near life as possible; but photographs, as a rule, flatter. However, the work is beautiful, and a look at the same will convince anyone that the Council for 1886 was composed of handsome men.

Sons of St. George.

The St. George's Society, of New Westminster, after nearly two years inertia, has been re-organized with the following officers: President, W. B. Townsend; vice-president, T. R. Figg; secretary, Shirley; treasurer, H. Elliott; marshall, H. B. Shadwell. A working committee consisting of Messrs. Crake, Webb, Hall, Bovill and Goeter was also appointed.

Change of Sailing.

The Geo. E. Starr next Saturday will leave her wharf in this city for Tacoma and way ports at 11 o'clock a. m. This is necessitated in consequence of necessary connection to be on the Sound that day. The mails from the Victoria post office will accordingly be closed at 10:30 a. m. on Saturday.

Liberal Meeting.

At the regular weekly meeting of the Liberal Association this (Thursday) evening the officers for the ensuing year will be nominated; the balloting to take place at next week's meeting. There should be a full turn out of the members this evening.

W. C. T. U.

Probably there is not an individual family, community or Christian nation, what has not heard of an organization called the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, but, notwithstanding, the enquiries are constantly being made. "What is the work of the society?" "What do the women do?" To the above oft repeated interrogatories, we reply as the Master to Nathaniel, "come and see," in the Temperance Hall every Thursday at three o'clock. This organization takes total abstinence for its basis, and the complete abolition of the liquor traffic, its ultimate end. Its lines of work are numerous, having thirty-nine departments, which are highly educationary, physically, mentally and morally. These departments are practically taken up in proportion to ability, willingness, activity and interest of the staff of workers. When only a few of the lines of work can be made practicable, in a local union, we deem the following the most important of securing public opinion in favor. Influencing and educating through the press, training the young in "Band of Hope" and "Loyal Legion," enlightening the homes through the judicious distribution of wholesome temperance literature, and declaring from platform and pulpit the consequent enormous evils of a traffic which strews the world with broken hearts, wrecked homes, blighted communities, causing the crippling of nations financially, commercially, educationally and morally. To the women of the city of royal name, and of the province of British Columbia, we extend the Macedonian cry, "Come over and help us" in our philanthropic work of prevention, rescue and abolition, and in the final day you will surely share the laurels of victory.

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Funeral of the Late Premier---An Imposing Procession.

The funeral of the late Hon. Wm. Smithe occurred this forenoon, the arrangement and order of procession being carried out as announced in our issue of last evening. A very large number of citizens, on foot and in carriages, assembled about 10 o'clock, at the residence of Hon. Mr. Robson, Birdcage Walk, and about twenty minutes after the remains, in a beautiful casket, were borne out and placed in the hearse, when the procession slowly started towards St. James Church. The coffin was covered with a profusion of flower wreaths, the kindly remembrances of many friends of the dead. The procession had previously formed on Michigan street and Birdcage Walk in the following order:

Marshal, Supt. Roycraft.
Garrison Artillery Band.
Rifle Company.
Garrison Artillery.
Officers.
Children from the Public Schools and Teachers.
City Band.
Employees of Provincial Government.
Mayor and Council.
Members of the Provincial Legislature.
Members of the Commons and Speaker Pooley.
Puisne Judges.
Chief Justice and Senators.
Ex-Lieut.-Governors Trutch and Richards.
Lieutenant-Governor Nelson.
HEARSE.
Pall bearers.
Family of Deceased.
Hon. Messrs. Davie and Robson.
Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.
General Public.

Proceeding along Michigan, Menzies and Quebec streets, the bands playing the "Dead March," the cortege slowly wended its way to St. James Church. The service, brief and appropriate, was conducted by the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, who read with much impressiveness the fifteenth chapter of first Corinthians, beginning at the twentieth verse. Reforming, the cortege proceeded along Dallas road to Humboldt street, thence down Government to Yates and up Yates to Douglas, which was followed to the junction with Government, and thence along John street to the Esquimalt road and on to Russell's Station. The school children dropped out at the church, but otherwise the procession, which contained over fifty carriages, was unbroken throughout the entire distance. Along the route all places of business were closed and immense crowds lined the streets, testifying by their presence and demeanor the universality of the grief at the death of the late premier. Flags were flying at half-mast from every flag-staff, while the bells tolled funeral knells as the solemn procession passed slowly by. Russell Station was reached at 1 p. m., and the remains were at once placed on board. Accompanied by as many of the personal friends of the deceased and members of the House as the accommodation would permit, the train immediately started for Somenos, where the body was interred this afternoon in the family burying ground. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. H. Turner, T. Davie, J. Grant, G. Martin, F. G. Vernon, H. Croft, D. W. Higgins and Col. Baker, all members of the Legislature. The hearse was drawn by four horses, caparisoned in black, under the directorship of Mr. C. Hayward. The large number of citizens who turned out to participate in the last rites, embraced all classes of the community, and included almost all of our prominent citizens. The tribute of respect was also as heartfelt as it was general, and as spontaneous as was deserved.

CITY COUNCIL.

A Mark of Respect to the Late Hon. W. Smithe.

At the regular weekly meeting of the City Council last night, there was a full attendance of members, His Worship in the chair.

Coun. Higgins, referring to the death of the late Hon. W. Smithe, said that by this sorrowful event the country had lost one of its best and most valued citizens. He had known him for a quarter of a century, and he had never heard him give utterance to an unworthy sentiment. He moved the following resolution:

Whereas, We, the mayor and councillors of the city of Victoria, have learned with feelings of regret and sorrow that the Honorable William Smithe, first minister of the crown, has been removed from earth while in the midst of his usefulness, and at a time when the country stood most in need of his services;

Therefore be it resolved, That this board, on behalf of the citizens of Victoria, tender the bereaved widow and children of the departed gentleman our deep sympathy in the hour of affliction;

Resolved, That as a mark of our respect to his memory and as a token of our appreciation of the eminent public services of the deceased the civic flags be set at half-mast, and that we attend the obsequies of the deceased in a body.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed and presented to the family of the late premier.

Coun. Grant seconded the resolution. The departed gentleman, he said, had for many years fought an up-hill fight, and now he was cut down in the prime of life at a time when he had attained the pinnacle of his ambition. His death was to be regretted, more especially for two reasons; first, for the sake of his family and those near and dear to him, and, secondly, having served sixteen years in the Provincial Legislature, by his removal the country loses one of its foremost parliamentarians. Hon. Mr. Beaven is now the only member who has sat continuously since confederation, and to these two gentlemen the other members of the House have been greatly indebted for their legislative knowledge. He believed the deceased had always been actuated by the best motives, and he had no hesitation in contributing this meed of praise to the integrity and faithfulness of the departed.

Coun. Pearse, in support of the motion, said Mr. Smithe had always done his duty to his country and with a single eye to the welfare of its people. Having watched his career for many years, he believed he was one of the noblest works of God—an honest man.

His Worship said he had been an intimate friend of the deceased for twenty or twenty-five years. It was greatly to be regretted that a man like him who had fought his way from the ranks to the highest position the province could confer, should be cut off at his time of life. He was remarkably well versed in parliamentary practise, and no other man in that House for the past twenty years has given so much time to the study of constitutional government. His remains will be buried to-morrow. But you bury the shadow—the man lives; you bury the shell—there is no such thing as burying Mr. Smithe—he lives forever.

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

Coun. Grant moved: Whereas the funeral of the late Honorable William Smithe will take place tomorrow at 10 o'clock, a. m., Resolved that His Worship the Mayor be requested to ask the citizens to kindly abstain from general business from the above hour until the *cortege* reaches Russell's station on the way to the final resting place. Seconded by Coun. Pearse and carried. The Council then adjourned.

Millinery.

As I am leaving the city in a few days I offer the balance of my fine millinery stock below cost for three days only. On show over the Albion house. MADAME ROUHAUD, Government street. *

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A Seattle paper includes in its birth notices the weight of the infant born. This is the style followed by the genial editor of the Victoria *Bulletin*, and if the weight is above five pounds the fond papa is quite a hero among his friends.

While the lighthouse tender Manzanita was at Neah Bay, one day last week, two small sloops arrived having on board 195 seals, the result of two days' fishing.

Mr. H. E. Levy, of Seattle, who returned from the east *via* the C. P. R. said to a Seattle *Times* reporter on Monday last: "I was a month and three days coming from Montreal, but under the circumstances I had a very pleasant trip. The railroad company lodged and fed us at the best hotels along the road at their expense. The scenery along the road is simply magnificent, and I can hardly find words to express my admiration of the beautiful sights which met my view on the journey.

John Gedder, a veteran journalist and for many years editor of the Stockton *Daily Independent*, died at his residence in that city Sunday morning last. Deceased was a native of Scotland, aged 68 years.

The action for libel against young Hearst, owner of the San Francisco *Examiner*, was dismissed on demurrer on Monday last. In his decision the judge referred to the liberty of the press, and held that there was nothing in the article published to sustain criminal libel.

An election was held at San Bernardino, Cal., last week for voting on the question of issuing $150,000 worth of bonds for sewers and grading of streets. Five hundred and twenty votes were cast, 470 ayes and 50 noes, the latter all mossbacks.

The big trot between Harry Wilkes and Oliver K. is off. Oliver K. is unfit to trot by reason of a swelling in the fore leg.

Over 4000 head of hogs have died near Point Reyes, in Marin county, of cholera since the disease was imported into that county from San Francisco a few weeks back. Many have also died in other places in that county that were touched by the same drove of hogs.

In the accident to the Emma Hayward one of her cylinders was ruined, and an order has been sent to Portland for a new cylinder, to be cast on the old pattern. It may be two weeks or a month before she is out. The crew have been discharged.

C. T. Thomas sailed from San Francisco for Kodiak, Alaska, on the steamer St. Paul, on the 24th inst., in the interests of Wm. T. Coleman & Co., to locate several cannery sites in Alaska.

The Cedar Mountain, Washington Territory, coal miners have struck because of the discharge of a few growlers.

The fifth annual G. A. R. Encampment of Washington Territory will be held at Seattle April 20th.

The first vessel loading lumber on Gray's Harbor, Washington Territor, for a foreign port will be the John G. Forth, which will go to the Sandwich Islands.

Goldenson, the brutal murderer of the little school girl Mamie Kelly, has been found guilty at San Francisco of murder in the first degree. The jury was out 38 minutes. Hanging will most likely be the sentence, which will be passed on Saturday next.

MARINE.

The latest news from the sealing schooner Pathfinder is that up to the 18th instant she had taken 280 seals.

—The Hawaiian bark Kalakaua, Capt. Armstrong, 382 net tonnage, is 77 days out from Valparaiso for Puget Sound to load lumber.

On the way from Burrard Inlet to Sydney, N. S. W., the British bark Pacific Slope had two of her boats stove in and some of her gear washed overboard, on December 16th, in a southeasterly gale.

The ship Glory of the Seas, Captain Freeman, 2102 net tonnage, arrived on Tuesday at Departure Bay, from San Francisco, to load coal.

The following vessels arrived in San Francisco last Saturday from Puget Sound: Ship Alaska, Captain Pritchard, coal laden from Seattle; bark Templar, coal laden from Seattle; and the bark Rosie Welt, Captain Welt, coal laden from Nanaimo, B. C.

The ship William A. Campbell, Capt. Hawsharne, now loading lumber in Burrard Inlet for Melbourne, is expected to finish her cargo and sail by the 12th proximo.

George Boyd, formerly captain of the bark Otago, is now commander of the ship John Briggs, bound to Nanaimo from San Francisco to load a return cargo of coal.

The British bark Lanscheur was recently reported as chartered to carry coal from Melbourne to Tahiti and to come to Puget Sound and load return cargo of lumber.

The ship Challenger, 1339 net tonnage, was expected to sail yesterday from Nanaimo for San Francisco, coal laden.

The Norwegian bark Rosenberg, Captain J. Johannesen, 860 net tonnage, arrived at Port Townsend at 4 a. m. Tuesday, 38 days from Shanghai, in ballast to load lumber at Utsalady, for Sydney, N. S. W. The Captain said in conversation with the reporter that he was here last July and loaded a cargo of 630,000 feet of lumber from Port Ludlow for Sydney, thence to Shanghai, where he remained for three weeks before sailing to the Sound.

The British bark Omega, Captain Hastings, 480 net tonnage, is now 98 days out to Victoria, loaded with a cargo of Chinese merchandise.

The British bark Oban Bay, Captain Cook, 1068 net tonnage, is 90 days out from Middlesbourough for Victoria.

Unanimity.

The ratepayers of Vancouver on Tuesday voted on a by-law authorizing a loan of $150,000 for public improvements. It was carried unanimously, not a single vote being recorded against it. The money will be expended on drainage, the fire department and an hospital.

Masonic.

The new Masonic hall at Vancouver will be dedicated on Saturday by the officers of the Grand Lodge. The local brethren will entertain their visitors at supper after the ceremony.

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NOTICE.

HAVING BEEN CONFINED TO MY BED for eight weeks, sick and blind was unable to get out the regular issue of the "WESTERN FARM AND HOME," Tacoma. I am still confined to my bed, but hope to be able soon to get the paper out regularly.

mar31 6t JAMES P. HENRY.

Good Friday, April 8.

EXCURSION —TO— Shawnigan Lake.

GRAND ANGLING COMPETITION

For Prizes amounting to $25, to be given by Charles Morton of the MORTON HOUSE. Large Covered Dancing Platform, 100x80 feet. BOATS for hire at Victoria rates. Rifle Shooting. mar21

For Fort Simpson and Way Ports.

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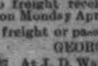

THE STEAMER "BARBARA BOSCOWITZ"

Will sail from Spratt's Wharf On TUESDAY, April 5th, AT FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

For Fort Simpson, and all way ports. No freight received on the wharf after 4 p. m. on Monday April 4th.

For freight or passage, apply to GEORGE E. MUNRO, Agent.

dec27 At J. D. Warren's office, Wharf Street.

MUNICIPAL.

Thursday, the 31st day of March, being set for the Funeral of the late Hon. Wm. Smithe, Premier of the Province of British Columbia, the Municipal Offices will be closed on that day.

By order of the Mayor.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, 29th March, 1887. mar 30

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO.

DISPATCH A STEAMER *Every Saturday for San Francisco*

Leaving the outer wharf at One o'clock p.m.

April 2nd, - - Mexico.

Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required. No Freight received after 6 p. m. on Friday, 1st April.

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Wharf Street, Victoria. mar29

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JUST ARRIVED.

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PANTS

ALL SIZES AND PRICES.

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Invoice of Gents' Hosiery.
Ladies' Gloves of all sorts.
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Apply to A. FERGUSON, Agent

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Over Baker's Boot Store. mar16 12m

OATS, OATS OATS.

Seed and Feed Oats.
Seed and Feed Barley.
Grass Seeds.
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Ground Barley.
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Wheat, Bran.
Middlings.
Oil Cake, Meal.
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For sale at HOWARD TILTON'S,

mar30 1m Wharf St., Victoria.

Flour, Butter, Cheese.

The undersigned have on sale:

Ogilvie's Patent & Strong Bakers' Flour.
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Eastern Butter and Cheese, and all kinds of Produce.

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VICTORIA THEATRE.

GRAND MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

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(First time in British Columbia.)

Two Hundred Performers

Musical Director—Mr. Enrico Sorge.

SPECIAL TRIPS from Nanaimo, Vancouver, and New Westminster at one fare for the round trip.

RESERVED SEATS:—Parquette, $1; Dress Circle, $1.50; Gallery, 50 cents; reserved Gallery seats, 75 cents. Plan of seats ready Saturday April 2, at M. W. Waitt's, at 9 a.m. mar26 td

Anniversary Social and Dance

TO BE HELD AT PHILHARMONIC HALL, Fort street, by the B. C. Association for the investigation of Spiritualism, on THURSDAY, March 31st, 1887. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. To commence at 8.

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR, admitting Gentleman and Lady. mar25 6t

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NEW GOODS

FOR THE SEASON.

THE LATEST NOVELTIES! IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

OUR

MILLINERY GOODS

Just Received, are of the very Latest European Styles.

Will be shown on Tuesday.

SHEARS & PAGE, LONDON HOUSE. mar28

AUCTION SALE.

I have received instructions from Captain J. O'Brien, of the Barque "Alden Besse," just arrived from Hongkong, to sell by public auction, at the premises lately occupied by Thomas Earle, Esq., Wharf street, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ON SATURDAY, 2nd APRIL,

A NUMBER OF

Wicker Chairs,
Bamboo Carvings,
Satsuma, Porcelain,
Bronzes,
Embroidered Screens,

AND A LARGE VARIETY OF

Oriental Curiosities!

BESIDES A NUMBER OF

EGGSHELL CHINESE TEA SETS &c., &c.

The Goods will be on exhibition on the Friday previous to sale, when catalogues can be obtained.

W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

mar28 6t

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Will run between the ends of

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Making the circuit of the bridge continuously

From 7 a. m. to 10 p. m. each day

During construction.

FARE:

Four Tickets for 10 Cents,

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Victoria, February 24th, 1887. feb 24

MONTHLY NURSE.

An experienced nurse lately arrived from the east, where she had a lengthened experience as a monthly nurse, is open for engagements. Unsurpassed references. Has the best of references. Address Mrs. ..., care of P. O., or apply at ... Blanchard Street, two doors from Spring Work Estate.